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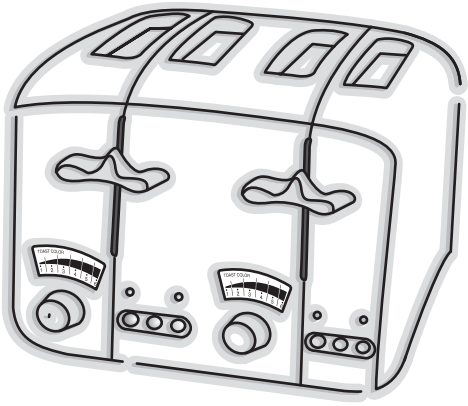

CT04R TOASTER

Please retain these instructions for future reference

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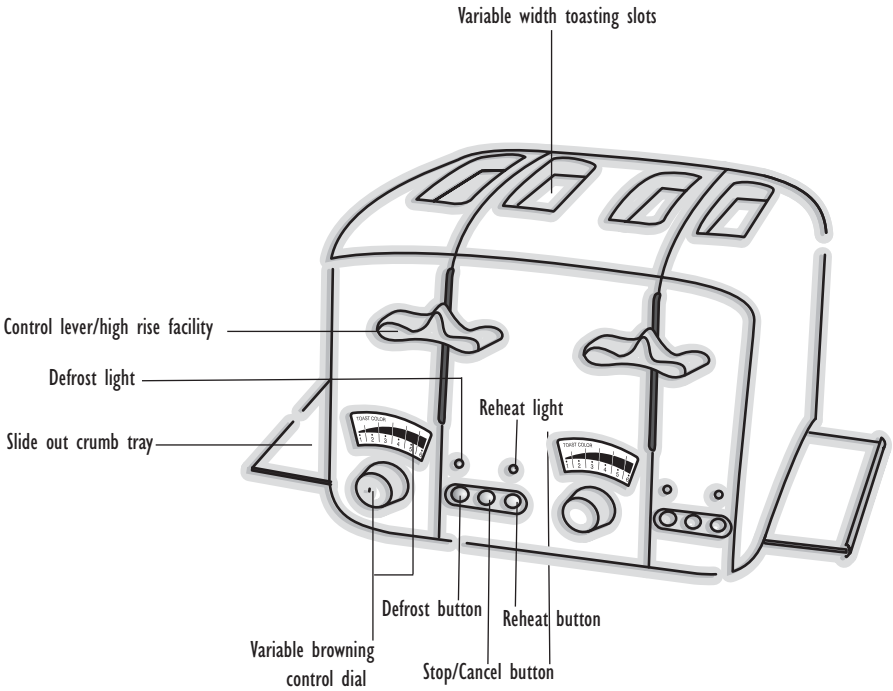
Description of Appliance

The following terms are used throughout the instruction manual



Thank you for choosing this De'Longhi Toaster. To get the best results from your new appliance it is advisable to read these instructions carefully before using the appliance. This is the only way to ensure optimum results and maximum safety.

Using for the first time

- Carefully unpack the toaster and remove all of the packaging material.
- Place the toaster on a flat working surface away from water taps and sinks.
- Before using for the first time, to eliminate the new smell, operate the toaster without bread inside for at least 5 minutes. Ensure there is plenty of ventilation in the room.
- Check that the mains supply corresponds to the voltage on the the appliance rating plate. Connect the appliance to a correctly earthed power socket (minimum rating 10A) only.
  The manufacturer declines all liability for any accidents due to the incorrect earthing of the appliance.
- Please read safety warnings and electrical requirements before using this appliance.

Instructions for use

- Make sure that the control level is raised and the variable browning control dial is set for a medium toasting level.
- Plug into a suitable mains supply socket and turn the power on.
- Place up to four slices of bread into the toasting slots, one in each slot.
- Turn the variable browning control dial to required setting (1=lightest, 6= darkest).
- Press down control lever until it locks.
  Note: if the toaster is not connected to the electrical outlet, the lever will not go all the way down.
- If the bread is not sufficiently toasted, select a darker degree of toasting by turning the browing control dial, clockwise.
  If it is too dark, select a lesser degree of toasting.
- Never use the toaster without bread inserted, except for the first use.
- Do not use very thin or broken slices of bread.
- Do not insert other foods that may drip during the cooking process. As well as making cleaning procedure more difficult it may be a potential fire hazard. It also very important to clean the crumb tray before each use.
- Do not insert (by force) foods that are too big for the slots.

Using the Defrost button

- To toast frozen bread, place in the toasting slots.
- Press down control lever until it locks.
- Press the "Defrost Button".

The "Defrost Light" will remain on while the defrost function is in use, and the toasting time will be automatically extended to achieve the desired toasting level.

Using the Stop/Cancel Button

The toasting can be interupted at any time by simply pressing the stop/clear button.
Warning**:** do not force the control lever to eject toast etc. Always use the stop/cancel button.

Using the Reheat Button:

- Press down control lever and press the reheat button.
- The reheat light will remain on whilst the reheat function is in use. Please note that this is a fixed reheat time which cannot be adjusted by the browning control.

Crumb tray

The crumb tray should be emptied regularly as a build-up of crumbs could be a potential fire hazard. After toasting, allow the toaster to cool down thoroughly, then slide out the crumb tray and empty.
Note: The toasting slots allow you to use a variety of different bread widths, as well as muffins, tea cakes, crumpets and bagels etc. However, you should not force items into the slots which are clearly too large. If an item does become jammed, switch the toaster off at the mains immediately. Once cooled, turn the toaster upside down and gently shake to remove the lodged item. Do not insert sharp objects such as knives, as this may damage the heating element.

Hints and Tips for better toasting result:

The first time you use the toaster, you should do so without bread. This will pre-heat the new element and burn off any dust collected during the storage process.
If your toaster is not plugged in and switched on, the control lever will not lock in the down position.
For best results use bread slices of even thickness, size and freshness.

Select a lower setting if

a) using stale bread (toasts more quickly than fresh bread).
b) using thin bread (toasts more quickly than thick bread).
To remove smaller items such as muffins, crumpets and bagels the control lever can be lifted approximately 20mm above the starting position.
To achieve even browning, we suggest a minimum of 30 seconds between each toasting to allow the control to automatically reset.

Cleaning and Maintenance

- Before cleaning: remove plug, switch off at the mains and allow to cool.
- To clean the inside, turn the toaster upside down over the sink and gently shake.
- Empty the crumb tray regularly - see "Crumb tray" section on page 3.
- Use a soft dampened cloth to wipe the outside of the toaster and dry with a soft, dry cloth.
- DO NOT use metal polish or harsh scouring agents.
- DO NOT immerse your toaster in any form of liquid.
- DO NOT use any sharp or pointed articles for cleaning the inside as this will damage the heating element.
- NEVER put metal objects or your fingers into the toasting slots.

Safety Warnings

- The appliance is exclusively for the use for which it has been manufactured. Any other use is to be considered inappropriate and therefore dangerous. The manufacturer cannot be held responsible for eventual damage caused by inappropriate, improper or irresponsible use and/or for repairs made to the product by unauthorised personnel.
- After removing the appliance from the packaging, make sure that the product is complete and in perfect condition.
- The plastic bag in which the appliance was packaged should be kept out of reach of children as it poses a suffocation hazard.
- In order to remove the dust that may have accumulated on the appliance, simply dust it off with a soft cloth.
- Before inserting the plug into the electrical socket, make certain:
  - The voltage of the socket corresponds to the value indicated on the information label, attached to the appliance.
  - The electrical socket is adequately earthed, the manufacturer declines any responsibility for the lack of observation of this norm.
- In the case of incompatibility between the socket and the plug of the appliance, have it replaced by a qualified technician. The use of adapters, multiple socket units and/or extension cables is not recommended. Whenever it may be necessary to use such equipment, it is advisable to use only single or multiple adapters or extension cables which comply with the current safety standards, and make sure not to exceed the wattage limit of the adapter or extension cable.
- When the appliance is plugged into the electrical socket and whilst switched on never place hands into the bread toasting slots.
- Never allow the appliance to be used by children or used without adult supervision.

- Do not touch the appliance with wet or damp hands.
- The areas surrounding the bread slots become very hot during use: operating the toaster should be carried out touching only the plastic controls.
- **Bread is a foodstuff which may catch fire.** Do not use this appliance under or next to curtains or other combustible material.
- Do not cover the appliance while it is in use.
- Do not use the appliance with bare or wet feet.
- Unplug the appliance from the electrical socket when it is not in use.
- Do not unplug the appliance from the outlet by pulling on the cord.
- Do not leave the appliance exposed to the elements, (rain, direct sunlight, frost, etc.).
- Before doing any cleaning unplug the appliance from the electrical socket. Do not immerse the appliance, the plug, or the electrical cable in water.
- In case of breakage or improper cable functioning of the appliance, turn off the appliance without tampering with it. For necessary repairs or replacement of the electrical cable, consult the technical service centre authorised by the manufacturer.
- As with any electrical appliance, whilst the instructions aim to cover as many eventualities as possible, caution and common sense should be applied when opearating your appliance, particularly in the vicinity of young children.

This appliance conforms to the Directive 89/336/CEE relative to electromagnetic compatibility.

The materials and the objects destined for contact with food products are in compliance with the regulations of the EEC directive 89/109.

Electrical Requirements

Before using this appliance ensure that the voltage indicated on the product corresponds with the mains voltage in your home, if you are in any doubt about your supply contact your local electricity company.

The flexible mains lead is supplied connected to a B.S. 1363 fused plug having a fuse of 13 amp capacity. Should this plug become damaged it should be cut off and replaced with a suitable plug, following the procedure outlined below.

Note: Such a plug cannot be used for any other appliance and should therefore be properly disposed of, (having removed the fuse) and not left where children might find it and plug it into a supply socket - with the obvious consequent danger.

N.B. We recommend the use of good quality plugs and wall sockets that can be switched off when the machine is not in use.

Important: the wires in the mains lead fitted to this appliance are coloured in accordance with the following code:

GREEN AND YELLOW	EARTH
BLUE	NEUTRAL
BROWN	LIVE

As the colours of the wires in the mains lead of this appliance may not correspond with the coloured markings identifying the terminals in your plug, proceed as follows:

The wire which is coloured green and yellow must be connected to the terminal in the plug which is marked with the letter **E** or by the earth symbol ⏚ or coloured green or green and yellow.

The wire which is coloured blue must be connected to the terminal which is marked with the letter **N** or coloured black.

The wire which is coloured brown must be connected to the terminal which is marked with the letter **L** or coloured red.

When wiring the plug, ensure that all strands of wire are securely retained in each terminal. Do not forget to tighten the mains lead clamp on the plug. If your electricity supply point has only two pin socket outlets, or if you are in doubt, consult a qualified electrician.

Should the mains lead ever require replacement, it is essential that this operation be carried out by a qualified electrician and should only be replaced with a flexible cord of the same size.

If the plug is a moulded-on type the fuse cover must be refitted. If the fuse cover is lost, the plug must not be used until a replacement cover is obtained. The colour of the correct replacement fuse cover is that of the coloured insert in the base of the fuse recess or elsewhere on the plug. Always state this colour when ordering a replacement fuse cover.

Only 13amp replacement fuses which are asta approved to B.S. 1362 should be fitted.

This appliance conforms to the Norms EN 55014 regarding the suppression of radio interference.

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